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## WEATHER FORECAST

Arkansas: Fair this afternoon, tonight. Slightly warmer in areas tonight. Wednesday partly cloudy, mild.

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## Al Jolson, 64, Veteran Jazz Singer, Dies

San Francisco, Oct. 24 — (AP) — Al Jolson, the veteran jazz singer who was the first U. S. star to entertain troops overseas in both the second world and Korean wars, died unexpectedly last night with a quip on his lips:

"Hell, Truman had only one hour with MacArthur. I had two!" Then . . .

"I'm going boys," the famous mammy singer told two longtime friends with whom he was playing gin rummy in the St. Francis' hotel.

He died quietly, quickly, of a coronary occlusion . . . and without pain, said the house physician.

Jolson, 64, had returned only two weeks ago from Korea, where he sang to Allied troops. He had a two-hour luncheon chat with General MacArthur in Tokyo enroute.

A few years later Warner Brothers talked him into trying their first sound-sequence picture, "The Jazz Singer." That, and the second Jolson show, "The Singing Pool," stamped the silent movie industry into sound.

It was Jolson's voice that did it. I recall that there were earlier experiments with talking pictures. At New York's Town Hall about 1922 I saw a very creditable variety film in which action and voice were matched perfectly. But it left the public and theater men cold.

Five years later Jolson stepped before the sound cameras — and made history.

The singing movies carried Jolson to a second great peak of fame. That was almost 25 years ago.

And then in our immediate day Columbia brought out "The Jolson Story" and "Jolson Sings Again," with young Larry Parks' face on the screen — but with the redoubtable old mammy singer's voice. It was Jolson's third peak of fame — and he was then past 60.

He is gone. And with him an epoch of the American theater — an epoch that stretched in an unbroken line from the gas-lighted days of the old-time vaudeville and burlesque houses to the modern musical-comedy . . . and finally talking pictures.

A house committee has just uncovered the fact that in order to write up one contract the federal government requires 3,700 sheets of paper. But this wouldn't surprise The Star's mechanical superintendent, George W. Hosmer, whose favorite wise-crack is that it takes 400 pieces of paper just to get a man out of the Army.

My old friend Edgar G. Harris writes in his West Point (Miss.) Times Leader that a big shot in the Political Action Committee of the CIA union told a Midwestern audience:

"Some day we will be able to tell the papers what to print and what not to print."

But if that day ever comes you can be sure some one else will be telling the CIO what to tell the newspapers — and that wouldn't suit the CIO either.

**Principals of  
Hope Attend  
Magnolia Meet**

The Arkansas Elementary Principals' Assoc. organized at the district teachers meeting at Magnolia met at Midway Oct. 18.

The principals discussed the common problems, grading systems and the teacher's responsibilities at school besides teaching.

Miss Mamie Bell Holt, Paisley principal; Mrs. Elmer Brown, Brookwood principal; Mrs. Owen Atkins, Garland principal; Frank Rider, Fulton Grade School principal, and Miss Neva Kenyon, grade coordinator, attended the meeting.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 3 at Midway.

**Two Minor  
Accidents  
Here Monday**

Two wrecks were investigated yesterday by City Police One involved auto driven by Arthur Dugan and W. M. Tyree at West Division and Louisiana Streets, resulting in minor damage.

The second involved two transport trucks which collided at Third and Washington also resulting in small damage. The Associated Transport was driven by James E. Brickley of Altom III, and the United Transport by S. R. Walker of Texarkana.

**Truman Interested  
in Election, Not  
Inflation — Gathings**

West Memphis, Oct. 21 — (AP) — Rep. E. C. Gathings (D-Ark) has criticized the Truman administration as being more interested in the coming election than in relieving inflationary pressures.

Gathings told the Rotary club here yesterday, "I don't understand why our government officials don't tell the people the truth" — and that is that controls over spices and labor will have to be imposed at an early date."

**Korean Victim**

Hot Springs, Ark., Oct. 24 (AP) — Garland county's first victim of the Korean war, Lt. Edward Crays,

was buried here today.

The Hot Springs lieutenant was killed in a plane crash in the early days of the conflict.

Military services will be held at 2 p. m. Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery near here.

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## School Leaders Fight for Amendment 41

Little Rock, Oct. 24 — (AP) — More school leaders are pumping for rally for adoption of amendment 41 to the Arkansas constitution.

About 2,000 school superintendents, members of county boards of education and parent-teachers associations unanimously approved a motion that they organize a fight for the proposal.

The group, meeting here yesterday, heard Marvin Bird, Earle, chairman of the state board of education, and others explain the proposed amendment to give the common school fund \$6 for every school-aged child in Arkansas from the first state revenues each month.

The proposal will be on the Nov. 7 general election ballot.

## French Planes Come to Aid of Troops

Saigon, Indo-China, Oct. 24 — (AP) — French warplanes struck hard today at Langson, big Indo-China border fortress abandoned by French troops last Wednesday.

A French military spokesman said the planes hit gasoline and oil tanks that the withdrawing troops had not been able to destroy. Ammunition and food stocks left behind by the French also were bombed, he said, to keep the Vietminh troops of Moscow-trained Ho Chi Minh from using them.

Reliable French sources said air attacks on the former French headquarters base began Friday.

The French garrison has been ordered out of Langson abruptly before it could complete its demolition work.

The French spokesman reported Vietminh attacks still were underway in the vicinity of Tienyen, key French post and supply center in the middle of a new 100-mile long frontier defense line.

Several French posts guarding Tienyen have been harassed by Vietminh units.

The French spokesman said that Vietminh troops seized one small post Friday that was held by Indo-Chinese auxiliary troops. The post was located midway between Tienyen and Moncay, on the coast. It was retaken later in a French counter-attack, he said.

"I was singing up there for some guys" and there was a lot of noise," he related.

"So I say to an officer, 'Why don't you tell those kids of yours outside to stop shooting off those rifles?'

"Those aren't our kids," he told me!"

Al was born Asa Yoelson on May 26, 1886, the son of a Jewish cantor, in what was the St. Petersburg, Russia. He came with his family to Washington, D. C. while a small boy. His father trained him for the church. But he had other ideas. He appeared in a play scene and then ran off with a circus.

In first starred on the stage—in blackface—in 1909 with Lew Dockstader's minstrels. Two years later he was discovered by the Schuberts and hired for their Winter Garden in New York.

The most famous of his Broadway performances was his bended-knee rendition of "Mammy," for which he became known as the mammy singer. Then Hollywood beckoned.

His greatest movie, "The Jazz Singer," was made in 1927, at the first peak of his career. It is generally credited with being the first real talking picture.

Screen fame followed and Jolson repeated many of his earlier stage successes for the film.

More than 1,000,000 of his phonograph records of "Sonny Boy" were sold after he popularized the song in "The Singing Fool." Other tunes that made his career were "Swance," "April Showers" and "California, Here I Come."

His career became temporarily eclipsed in the 1930's.

He came back, as big as ever, following the Second World War and the release of the movie, "The Jolson Story." It starred Actor Larry Parks, but it was Jolson's voice.

Then came "Jolson Sings Again."

He went on the radio, on his own show and those of his numerous friends. One of those, Bing Crosby, was scheduled to arrive to record with him the show that never will be made.

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Community Concerts will present Alice Howland, mezzo-soprano, Monday night, October 30, in the high school auditorium.

Recognition of her artistic versatility recently came from an honored source. When the 1950 Summer Music Festival at Aspen, Colorado, devoted its schedule jointly to the works of Bach and his contemporaries and to the works of modern composers, Alice Howland, as an artist outstanding in the interpretation of the music of all periods, was invited to give a series of recitals.

Following her appearances at Aspen, Miss Howland gave two performances in "The Marriage of Figaro" with Bidu Sayao and Alvaro Tajo in Pittsburgh before opening her 1950-51 coast-to-coast concert tour.

## New Feed, Seed Store Opened Here

The Mid-South Cotton Association has opened an establishment in Hope that will carry a complete line of seeds, feeds and insecticides besides handling regular cotton business. A. E. Slusser, branch manager, has announced.

The firm has acquired a building on both sides of the old Mid-South Cotton Association office on Cotton Row, giving them three large buildings.

Mr. Slusser also announced the appointment of Calvin Hare as salesman and Howard Taylor as bookkeeper. The firm will handle Staff-o-Life feed made at Memphis and popular in this section.

The public is invited to visit Hope's newest feed and seed store.

## Shriners to Entertain Ladies Wednesday Night

The elementary schools of Hope District 1-A observed the fifth birthday of the United Nations today.

The Victory Home Demonstration Club presented Pastry with a U. N. Flag. The club members were special guests at the flag raising ceremony this morning.

A. W. Martin, Jr. played the Bugle Call before the raising of Old Glory. Wells Nutt lead the school in the flag salute. After the students sang the national anthem, Billy Joe Schooley presented the U. N. flag to the school. Larry Stark gave the meaning of the United Nations. The Girls' Glee Club concluded the program singing "Prayer for Peace."

Mrs. Ruby Baker's fifth and sixth grades at Fulton gave a program in assembly on the "Meaning of the U. N." The flag used was made by Mrs. Baker's students. The seventh and eighth grades under the supervision of Frank Rider, principal, culminated their study of the U. N. The students have learned the meaning and purpose of the U. N. and its relation to the Korean situation.

Mrs. Tom Hill's third and fourth grade and Mrs. W. A. Abbott's first and second grades discussed the meaning of the U. N.

At Brooklyn the fifth grades under Mrs. T. V. Messer and Mrs. A. J. Caldwell made a United Nations flag.

Many students at Oglesby will give special reports on the U. N. this week. In the seventh grade Janet McKenzie, Margaret Archer, Wayne Johnson, and Birkett Wyche will report on the origin, purpose and cases of the U. N. Clifton Booth, Billye Williams, Buddy Jackson, and Patsy Calhoun of the eighth grade will discuss U. N. weaknesses, leader selection, cases on agenda, and the Security Council.

The sixth grade officers of Garland conducted the U. N. program this morning on the Garland campus. The officers are Ernest Whitten, pres.; Johnny Ling, Vice-pres.; Judy Franks, Secy.; Myra Graham, Treas.

Mrs. F. J. Burroughs opened the program with prayer. The school gave the Bible salute. During the raising of the stars and stripes, the students sang "The Star Spangled Banner." Billy Osborne led the Pledge of Allegiance. The United Nations flag was raised by the students.

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"Every time a Korean throws something in my jeep I'm not sure whether it's a hand grenade or an apple," one GI said. "But so far it's always been an apple."

## Communists in U. S. Ignore Security Law

Washington, Oct. 24 — (AP) — The Communist party and all its affiliated groups continued today to ignore the new internal security act as a move was made to overthrow the act in the courts.

The time allowed for voluntary registration by "Communist action" and "Communist front" organizations expired when the justice department closed its business yesterday. The law requires these organizations to register, disclose their sources of funds and in some cases furnish complete membership lists.

Kanggye is reported to be the new command headquarters of Kim Il Sung, Red Korean premier. Red troops have been fleeing into the area, a wild mountain fastness, for several days.

The two marine planes were on a reconnaissance mission.

The officer said at least 40 rounds of heavy anti-aircraft shells were fired at the two planes. The ack-ack apparently was radar controlled.

The incident erupted along the volatile border as South Korean troops were reported within 35 miles of Manchuria on the fifth anniversary of the founding of the United Nations.

The Korean war, first U. N. peace enforcement action, was drawing to a close. Only shattered remnants remained of the once powerful Red Korean army that invaded South Korea June 25 — and brought swift retaliatory action backed by 53 non-Communist nations.

A new U. N. warplane bombing line was drawn in an arc 12 miles south of the Manchuria border.

The bomb line usually is placed 20 miles ahead of leading ground groups.

With delegates from Russia and their iron curtain satellites in the audience, Mr. Truman agreed to a "foolproof" disarmament plan so that the United Nations will be free to use world-wide "war against aggression."

The United States and other nations, Mr. Truman said, will continue to build up their military forces as insurance against aggression until there is unanimous agreement on "international control of atomic energy and the reduction of armaments and armed forces."

The United States, now committed to that course, will follow it as long as necessary, the President said in an address prepared for the United Nations general assembly on the fifth anniversary of the day on which the U. N. charter came into force.

He left the door open for East-West peace talks both in the United Nations and elsewhere.

In reference he did not expand — but said the free nations have learned the hard way that negotiation alone will not preserve peace. There must be armed strength as well as strength to resist aggression.

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## SOCIETY

Phone 1268 or 1269 Between 8 A.M. and 4 P.M.

**Wednesday, October 25**  
Invitations have been issued by the Wisteria Club to their annual tea to be held Wednesday, October 25 at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Byron D. Hefner, 2200 Glendale, Texarkana, Ark.  
Guests will be presidents and vice presidents of the various garden clubs and officers of the City Federation of Garden Clubs.

**Wednesday, October 25**  
The Ogleby Junior High PTA will meet at 10 a.m. Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Albert Graves. This is the first study course meeting and all members are urged to attend because this is an important phase of PTA work.

The Laymen's League of the First Christian Church will meet in Fellowship Hall Wednesday, October 25th at 7 p.m. There will be a dinner, followed by a business meeting and all members are urged to attend because this is an important phase of PTA work.

The Spring Hill P.T.A. will hold a special meeting in the high school auditorium Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. Buses will run.

**Saturday, October 28**  
The Women's Council of the First Christian Church will have a rummage sale on the Haynes lot on South Main. Call 866 or 1357 to have rummage picked up.

**Surprise Birthday Dinner**  
O. L. Mitchell, Bodcaw, Rt. 1 was complimented with a surprise birthday dinner celebrating his 81st birthday at his home.

Guests were, Leon Garret and family; Prescott; Carl Mitchell and son; Prescott; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Downs and family, Bodcaw, Mr. and Mrs. Joe England and family, Shover Springs.

Other friends and relatives called during the afternoon.

**Jester-Mayton Wedding Announced**

Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Jester of Patmos announce the marriage of their daughter, —Joyce to Bobby Mayton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Mayton of Patmos.

The single ring ceremony was performed at 6:30 p.m. October 17 at the home of Rev. C. D. Ross in Shover Springs. The bride wore a grey wool suit with blue accessories. Her flowers were gendias.

The young couple will reside temporarily in Spring Hill, La.

**Coming and Going**

Mrs. W. L. Patterson, Lexington, Mo., and Dr. Fred N. Briggs, Davis, Colo., are the guests of their mother, Mrs. J. K. Briggs, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Carter of this City.

Mrs. Louis Howard is a visitor in Dallas, Tex., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McNeil and Suzanne, and Mrs. Lucian Abram attended "South Pacific" at the State Fair in Dallas this past weekend.

**Hospital Notes**

Julia Chester  
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Discharged: Betty Jean Hamm, Emmet; Barbara Roberts, Hope.

Josephine  
Admitted: Mrs. Lee Dodson,

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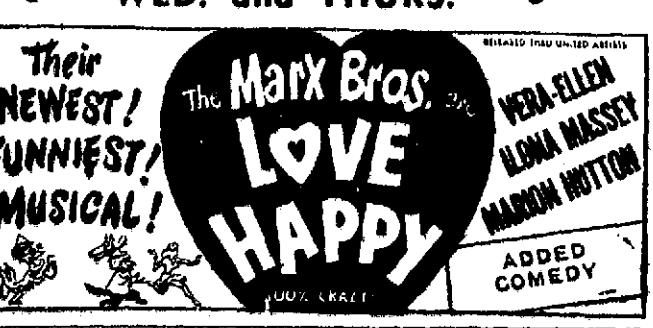
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## Al Jolson

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contains instructions for funeral arrangements and burial.

A real trouper, Jolson made money only to spend. If he was needed he was always ready at a moment's notice to appear in benefit shows and charity performances. His philanthropies are legend.

The personal tribute Jolson valued most is typified on a medalion he wore at the time of his death. Presented to him by General MacArthur in Korea, it was inscribed:

"To Al Jolson, from special services in appreciation for entertaining armed forces personnel, Far East command, September 1950."

## Lobbying Is Big Business Group Says

Washington, Oct. 24 — (AP) — A congressional committee today pictured lobbying as a "billion-dollar industry" which offers "very real" dangers to the legislative process of congress.

An exhaustive appraisal of the Washington lobbyist and his influence on legislation was contained in a 67-page report by Democratic members of the house committee on lobbying activities. Republicans did not sign it.

The report, based on extensive hearings earlier this year, said lobbying "is rarely corrupt," but it declared:

"The present system of pressure politics has assumed extraordinary proportions. x x x This system must continue to expand, and this expansion may challenge the existence of representative government as we have known it."

While conceding the need of preserving the constitutional right of petition to congress, the committee suggested several generalized ways the increased pressure of organized lobbying might be met:

1. Government support for poorly-financed groups or interests, to enable them to have a voice equal to well-heeled pressure groups. In the same breath, the committee rejects this as undesirable.

2. Giving organized groups a formal place in the legislative policy-making process. Like the first alternative, the committee thought this, too, would create more pressures instead of less and would also have no solid criteria for popular representation.

3. Streamline the legislative and administrative processes of government. The committee said this may provide a partial answer, noting that "pressures thrive" when government becomes too complex.

4. Stronger political parties and party discipline. Unless political parties accept responsibility for legislation, the report concluded, pressure groups are able to create confusion and move in by default.

5. More information on lobbying and lobbyists. This approach was most favored by the committee, which promised to bring out a set of detailed recommendations in the future.

The report bore only the signatures of Chairman Buchanan (D-Pa.), and the three other democratic members of the committee.

All the GOP members — Reps. Halleck (Ind.), Brown (Ohio) and O'Hara (Minn.) — clashed frequently with Buchanan during the hearings. Halleck and Brown, in particular, were critical of the course of questioning by Democratic members.

The two, Joe Walters, 17, and Neal Falceinelli, 16, both of Kensem, Ark., waited preliminary hearing yesterday and were placed under bonds of \$500 each.

About one dollar in money, some pipes, cakes and meat were taken from the post office-general store building Sunday night.

## UN Observes 5th Year Over the World

By The Associated Press

From Communists circled West Berlin to war-torn Korean the United Nations celebrated its fifth anniversary today Tuesday.

President Truman came to New York to make a major foreign policy speech before the general assembly. Church bells were to ring in many U.S. communities Schools throughout the land planned special ceremonies.

A 10-ton "freedom bell," bought by public subscription in the United States, was hung in the tower of West Berlin's city hall. Gen. Lucius D. Clay, U.S. chairman of the "Crusade for Freedom" which sponsors the bell and U.S. commander in Germany at the time of the Berlin blockade, was on hand to dedicate the bell.

Its first notes were to be broadcast in Europe and the United States.

United Nations day loomed especially large in Korea. Special services were held in Seoul, with the speakers including President Syngman Rhee, U.S. Ambassador John J. Muccio and Dr. Chong Il Hyung, executive director of the Korean association for the United Nations.

U.N. troops, who already had freed most of the country from Communist armies, continued their drive toward the Manchurian border.

The U.N. charter was proclaimed effective on Oct. 24, 1945, following its ratification by the "Big Five" permanent members — the United States, the Soviet Union, Britain, France and China — and by a majority of the other original signers of the charter.

Holland once had about 8,000 windmills but has only about 1,300 now.

## DOROTHY DIX

### Not 'Nice'

Dear Miss Dix: I am a woman 53 years old. As my husband goes to business every day, I am very lonely for both of my children are dead, so I bought a bicycle and was enjoying it very much as it took my mind off my troubles. I was getting a great deal of exercise, which improved my health. But to my dismay I have been told by a woman that it is highly improper for a woman of my age to ride a bicycle, and that nobody would think that one who did so was "nice." Please tell me if this is true, for while I enjoy my bicycle I try to use common sense and good taste in everything I do and do not wish to be censured by right-thinking people.

I. MAC E.

Answer: Don't listen to the woman who criticizes you for riding a bicycle at 53. Her remarks were mostly inspired by envy because she is too fat or stiff to mount one. No Age Limit

A woman of 53 can do anything that is decent that she has the strength and the health and the inclination to do. Many women older than you take up sports, go to college, go into business or become globe-trotters, and instead of lifting their eyebrows at them, all intelligent people give them the glad hand. For it is a fine thing for a woman to have initiative enough to find something interesting and enjoyable to do will make the latter part of her life perhaps the better part of it, instead of sitting down in the corner at home in dull despair waiting for death to come and get her.

The greatest modern improvement is that we have abolished age and have thrown into the junk pile the hampering superstitions about what an old person should wear and what an old person should do and how old people should conduct themselves.

So next time your critical friend tells you what women of 53 are not riding bicycles, tell her that they are doing it and whatever else they like, and that if she doesn't know it she is just behind the times.

And here is a final tip: Don't let what people say about you worry you as long as your conscience is clear. You will never be happy until you acquire the trick of letting your friend's and your neighbor's criticisms go in one ear and come out of the other without leaving even a memory or resentment behind.

Dear Dorothy Dix: Two months ago I was engaged to be married to a lovely girl, but just as I thought I was slated for a salary increase, I lost my job. I went to the girl and told her what had happened and though she wanted to marry anyway I left her and told her I would not return until I had found work. As yet I have been unable to get a job and I haven't gone out anywhere for a month because I can't afford it. I am losing faith in everything and everybody, and feel that my life is a wreck, anyhow. I am 22 years old.

HERMIT

Answer: Buck-up, son, and snap out of it. Do you think you are the first fellow to ever lose a job? Why, there have been millions of them. The ones who have any grit in their craws didn't sit down and give up. They hustled out and got something to do. Do you think you are the first man who ever had to meet any hardship, who ever had his dreams smashed and his plans go awry? Why, son, that has happened to every man in the world, and only the whiners won't under when they met with disaster. The worth while ones fought through to success.

The trouble is you have taken your whole misfortune in the wrong way. You've let it get you down and rob you of your self-confidence, and that is one reason you haven't been able to find a job. Another place you have gone wrong is in giving up your girl and not going to see her because your pride won't let you hang around when you can't take her out for good times. You are right not to marry when you have nothing to live on, but that is no reason for not going to see her and letting her comfort you and cheer you up.

Dear Miss Dix: How is a girl to know what is love? Two years ago I was madly in love with a man, but I was jealous of him, restless and demanding all of his time. We broke up. Now a man wants to marry me. He is a grand person, safe and dependable and very good to me. I am fond of him but in a calm, peaceful sort of way, not demanding of his time, not even jealous. Am I in love or must there be all the symptoms I had for my former friend? PUZZLED

Answer: Most people only experience the hysteria of love once. After that we can love just as truly but more calmly. The fireworks are over but the fire burns with a steady flame and we see men and women for what they are. I should say that you spent your emotionalism on the first man, but you are giving your real heart to the second.

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August through December is the most active shrimping season in the United States.

**Colds**  
To relieve minor colds, rub throat, chest and back with comforting VICKS VAPORUB

## Marshall Sets Policy for Reserve Calls

Washington, Oct. 24 — (AP) — Secretary of Defense Marshall has laid down a uniform policy for all the armed forces to follow in recalling reservists to active duty.

It was intended, Marshall said in a directive yesterday, "to obviate the uncertainty with which both the employer and the reservist employee presently are confronted, and to eliminate or reduce to a minimum the inequities in the recall of reservists x x x."

The directive, sent to the secretaries of the army, navy and air force, orders that each service:

- Decide its manpower requirements for six months in advance and notify reservists not called on to fill those requirements that their recall is at least four months remote unless material changes in military requirements otherwise dictate."

- Give those called up at least 30 days for settling their personal affairs before time to report for duty. (This time now varies considerably with the services, running between 15 and 30 days).

- Remove from its active reserve list all reservists who, for physical or other valid reasons determined by the service, are not available for extended active duty.

- Keep reservists on active duty only until (a) manpower requirements can be met by the draft or volunteers; and (b) the involuntary reservists and units have reached a "maximum state of training." This replaces the present policy of calling reservists for an indefinite period in order to bring about a rapid expansion of the armed forces.

A department spokesman said the same policy would hold for national guard units.

The Gold Coast of West Africa is sixth among the world's gold-producing areas.

Talk of creating some German divisions under Allied control, has raised disturbing questions for France.

What the military committee will do is to prepare recommendations for the defense ministers. Some of the debated points will arise only before the defense ministers and, in turn, some of those may have to be referred to the top-level North Atlantic council.

A potentially knotty problem for the defense committee is the matter of utilizing German manpower in the integrated defenses of Western Europe. The council, in its New York meeting last September, agreed that Western Germany "should be enabled to contribute."

But the foreign ministers of the council didn't say how. They left that for the defense committee ses-

An Italian recipe calls for baking potatoes and truffles in layers.

The Ituri forest in Northern Rhodesia is peopled with pygmies.

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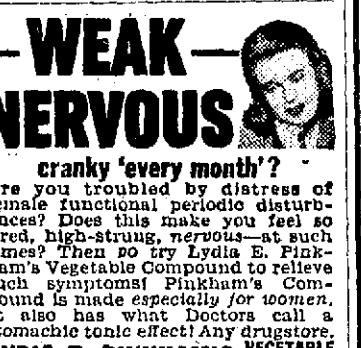
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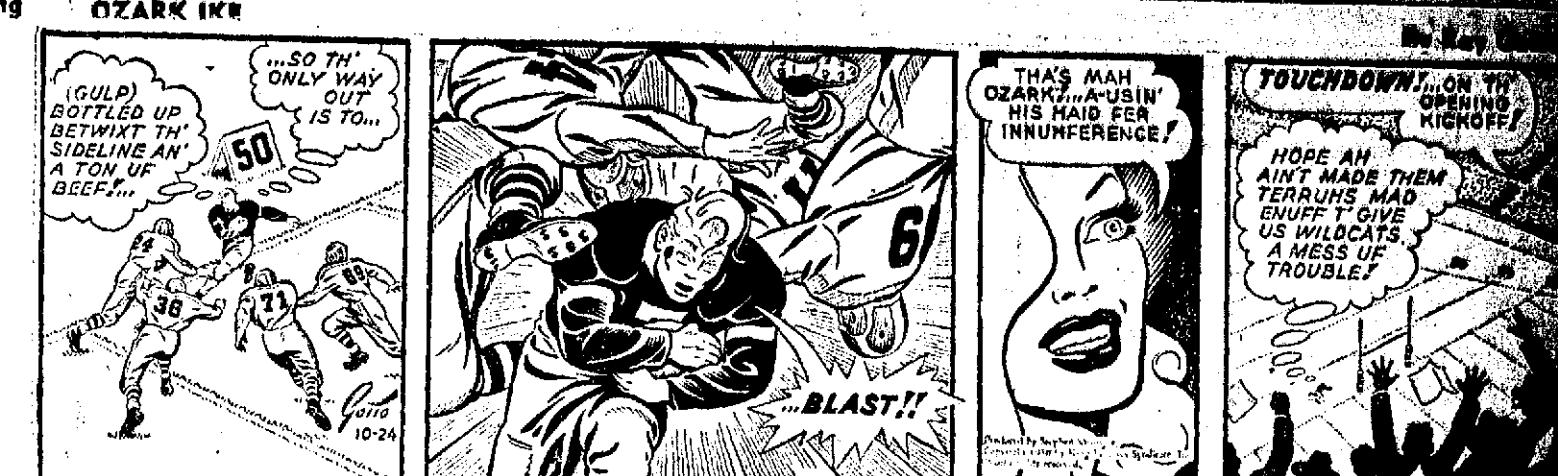


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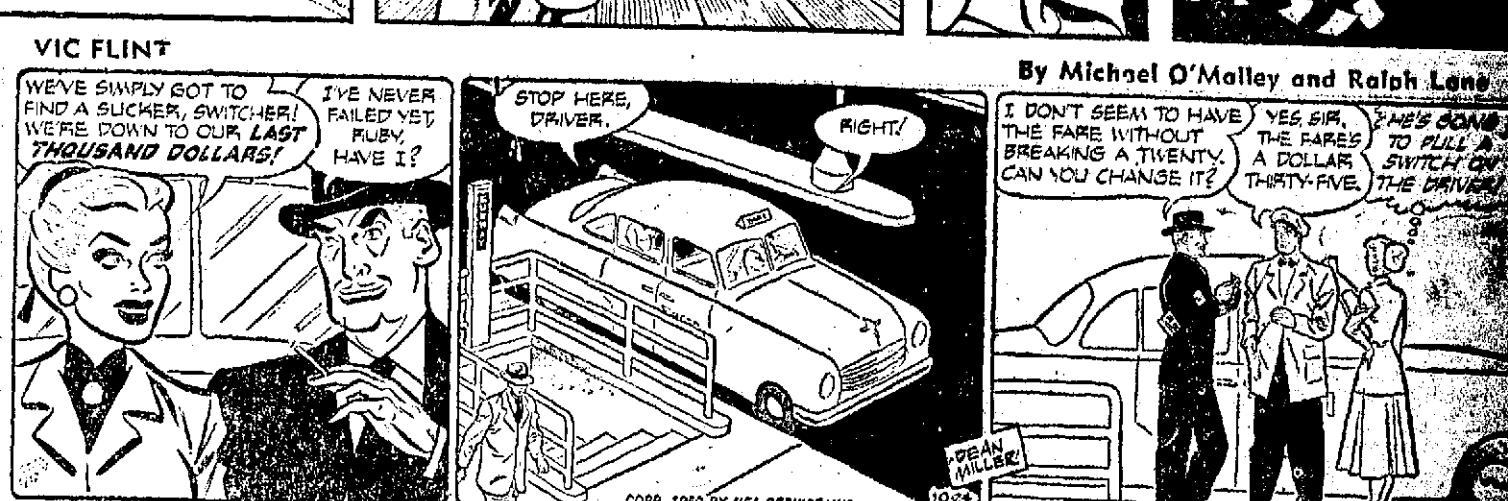
## Stage Star

Answer to Previous Puzzle

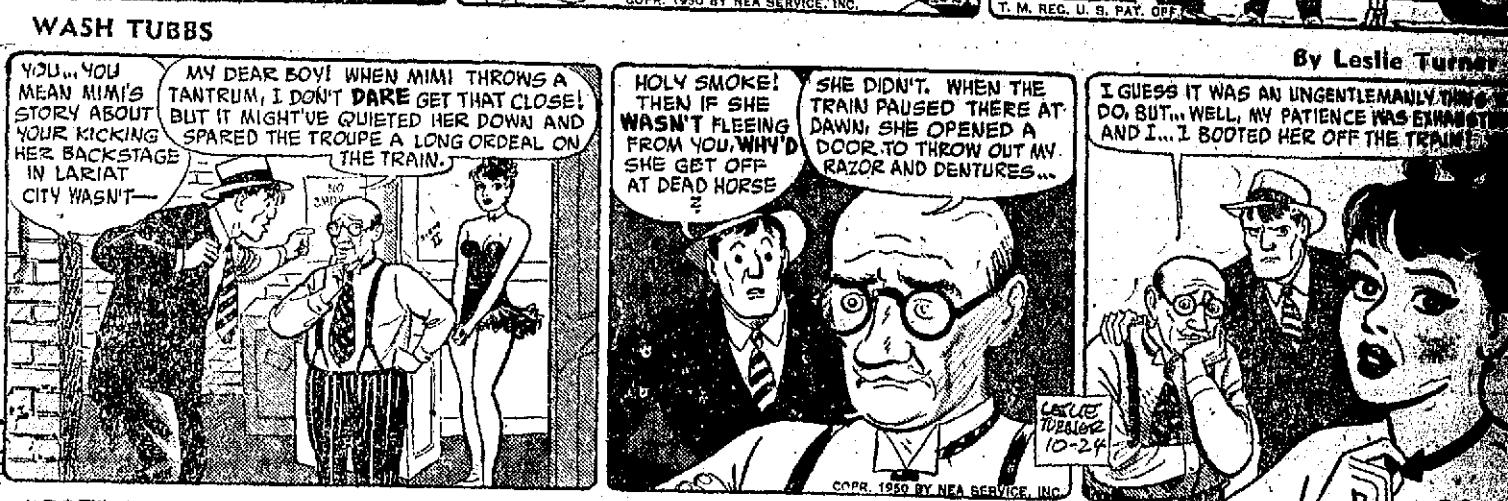
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1,8 Depicted stage star	4 Hebrew deity	AGOG
11 Flower	5 Approach	FEW GATES
13 Bullighter	6 Multitude	DOOR
14 Anger	7 Area measure	IN RELEASE
15 Salient angle	8 Affirmative	CEDE
17 Babylonian moon-god	9 Indian	FLAG OF IN
18 Musical note	10 Male children	ARTS
19 Painters	12 Skill	LOOSE
21 Electrical unit	13 It is (contr.)	SEANCES
22 Registered nurse (ab.)	16 Oriental measure	AMA
23 Toward	19 Class of segmented worms	SPAIN
25 Bridge	20 Stutters	AB
27 Weapons	22 Involves	CEIL
30 Possess	24 Mountain nymphs	IRONCLAD
31 Flesh food	25 Store	SENSIBLE
32 Soviet city	26 State in Brazil	
33 Handstone for grinding maize	28 American educator	
34 Dialect of Sanskrit	29 Greek portico	
35 Town in Texas	30 Stag beetles	
36 "Coyote State" (ab.)	32 Sea eagles	
37 Rupees (ab.)	33 Underground plant part	
38 Symbol for erubium	34 Mountain nymphs	
40 She is a well-known	35 Be quiet!	
46 Bone	42 Attempt	
48 Fish eggs	43 French island	
50 Rugged mountain spur	44 Greek letter	
51 Before	45 Dispatched	
52 Public officer	46 Utah town	
54 Reply	47 Withered	
56 Plant parts	49 Summer (Fr.)	
57 Subject	51 Female sheep	
VERTICAL	53 Part of "be"	
1 Accost	55 Be quiet!	
2 Book of the Bible		



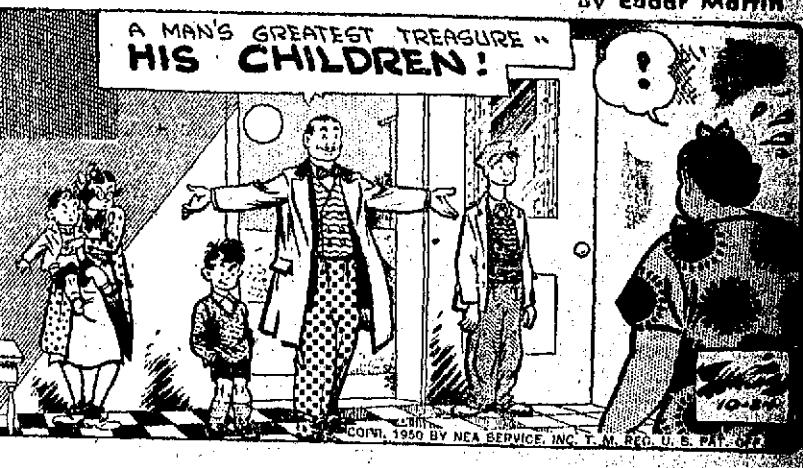
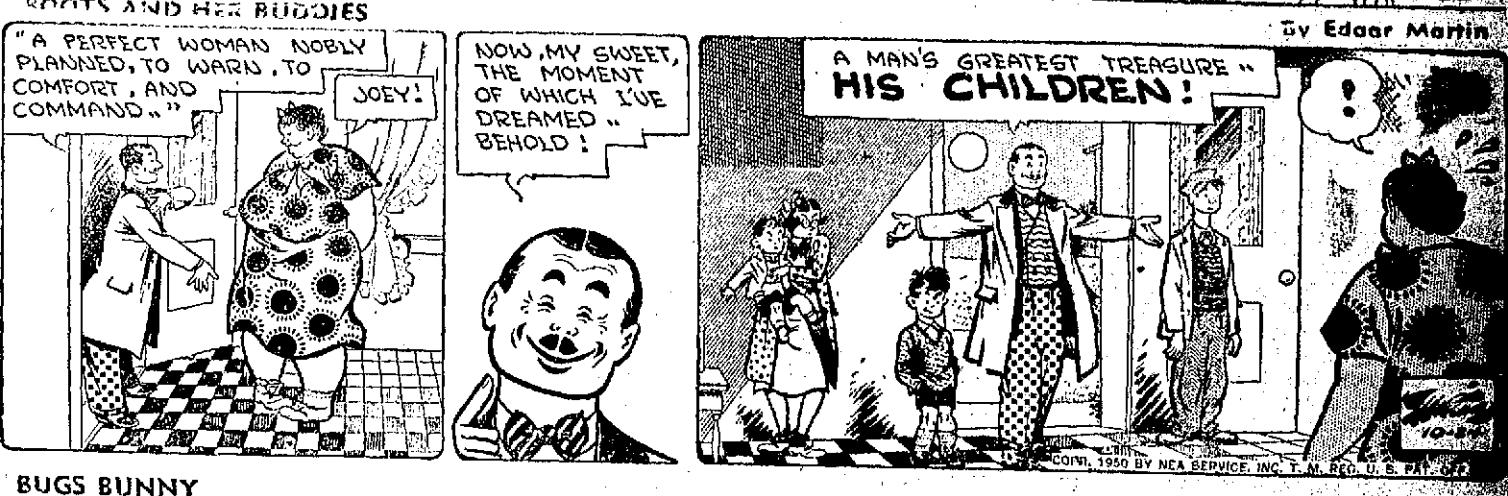
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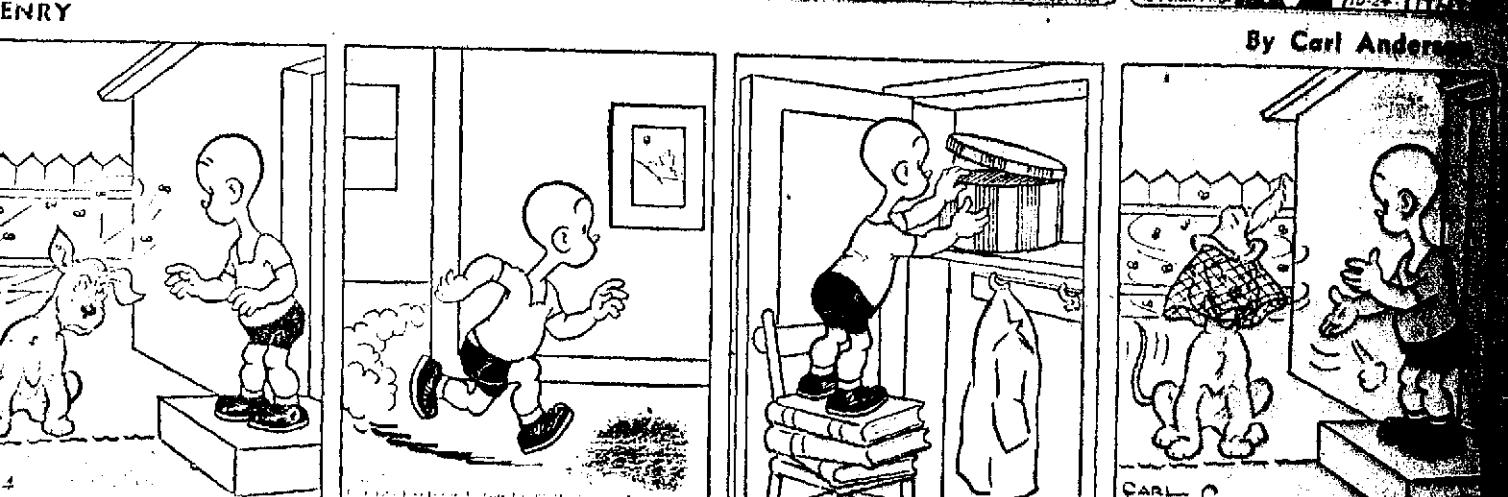
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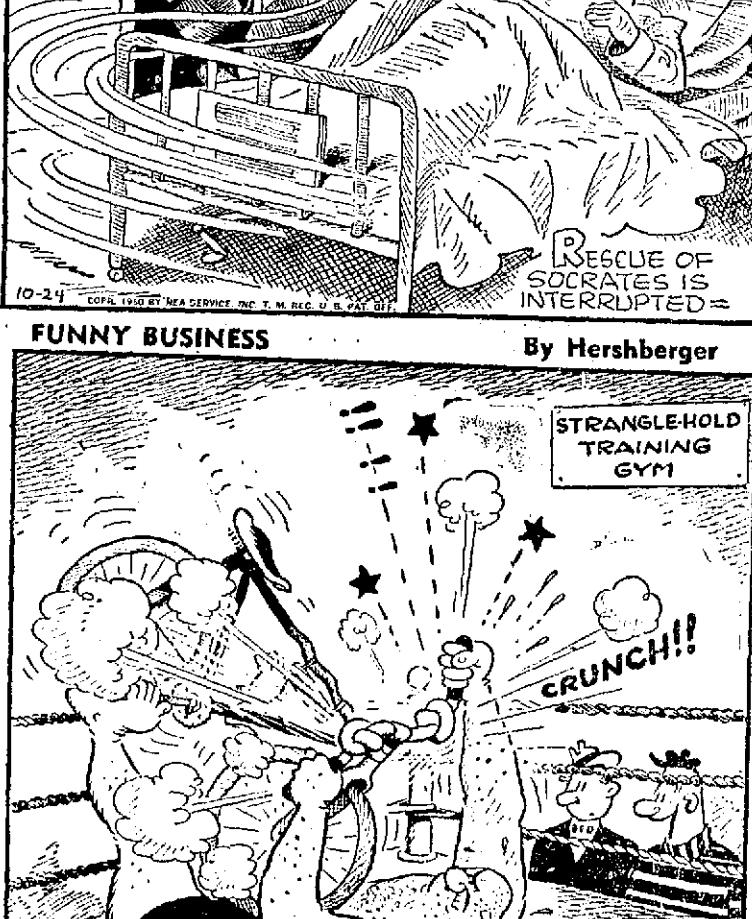
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## CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



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"It makes me positively sick to think of another war! You should have seen some of the weird husbands I had during World War II!"

## SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



By Blosser

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**Mustangs Rated Tops in Nation**

New York, Oct. 24 — (P)—Texans, who take fierce pride in their football, had hopes today of their first national champion in 11 years.

Southern Methodist university replaced Army as the No. 1 team in the Associated Press weekly poll, the most important change in a vigorous reshuffling of the rankings.

The newest top ten: Smu, Army, Oklahoma, Kentucky, California, Ohio State, Texas, Tennessee, Northwestern, Cornell.

The Southwest hasn't had a college title since Big John Kimbrough led Texas A. & M. to the front in 1939. Little Davy O'Brien sparked Texas Christian to the No. 1 spot in 1938.

Now Texans are just as enthusiastic about this great SMU machine that has rolled up 184 points in smashing five major foes—Georgia Tech, Ohio State, Missouri, Oklahoma A. & M. and Rice.

Coach H. N. (Rusty) Russell said in Dallas he felt it a "high honor" that SMU was selected as the best team in the country at the moment, but he added:

"I hope they're not just fattening us for the kill."

Of the main contenders for national honors, the Mustangs apparently have the roughest road ahead. They are idle this week but then run into five conference opponents in order, starting with big, tough Texas Nov. 4.

Softer sailing is promised for Army, which dropped to second after two weeks on top, and Oklahoma, which also fell a notch to third.

The West Pointers, with one of their great teams, have it easy with Columbia this week. Penn next week, Stanford and Navy are their largest obstacles.

The Oklahoma Sooners, with a 25-game winning streak going, have Kansas and Nebraska as the main humps in their remaining schedule.

SMU gained 98 first place votes among the 246 sports writers and broadcasters participating. The Mustangs got 2,071 points on the basis of ten for first, nine for second, etc.

Just as an example of how the mighty have fallen, Notre Dame, the once unconquerable national champion, dropped into a tie for 39th with only three points. The Fighting Irish, who lost to Indiana Saturday for their second setback, got one eighth place vote.

The top teams (first place votes) become a lion on the home-owner's hard-earned security. He has no guaranteed security himself except the fraud and delusion of social security which was forced upon him under threat of imprisonment for resistance.

But he is forced to pay taxes to build up pension systems for teachers who are well-enough paid to be able to pay their own contributions. Social security is good enough for the tax-payer but not sufficient for teachers. Or cops or governors. The public servant is becoming a prince of privilege.

Few of us have given any thought to these aspects of a system which is almost universally respected, if not, indeed, venerated, as "education." Isn't that dumb acceptance of the institution, by a generation which came up under its influence, evidence that this "education" doesn't teach its victims to inquire and think but, rather, drags the mind with assumptions?

How many home-owners realize that they are sitting ducks for this greedy institution? Why is the thrifty man who buys a home for his family, by tradition and probably in fact the most substantial

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**Murder Charge Filed Against Wynne Man**

Wynne, Oct. 24 — (P)—First degree murder charges have been filed against 72-year-old W. M. Stokes in connection with the shotgun slaying of a Negro.

The victim, Harvey Wilson, 69, was fatally wounded when he and his wife went to Stokes' home near here to buy a gallon of kerosene. He died Sunday in a Little Rock hospital.

**WARNING ORDER** The defendants, Arthur Thomas and Marjorie Thomas, his wife, and Clara Thomas Parker, Lola Thomas Anderson, Irma Thomas, Dan Thomas and Mrs. Dan Thomas, his wife, Donald Thomas and Doris Thomas Tarrazas, and each of them, are hereby warned to appear in this court within thirty days hereafter and answer the complaint of the plaintiffs herein.

**WITNESS** My hand and the seal of said Court on this 16 day of October, 1950.

OMERA EVANS Clerk

Oct. 17, 24, 31 Nov. 7.

**Notice**

James Gaines Service Station on West 3rd. St. will be closed each Sunday until further notice.

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**Donkey Cage Game Friday at Washington**

A Donkey Basketball game will be held in the Washington high school gymnasium Friday, October 27, at 8 p. m. The benefit program is sponsored by the Washington Parent Teachers Association. Admission is 25 cents for students in the first 8 grades and 50 cents for all others.

**Top Radio Programs**

New York, Oct. 24 — (P)—Tuning tonight (Tuesday):

NBC — 7 Margaret O'Brien in Calavadea Drama; 8:30 Fibber and Molly; 9:30 People are Funny.

CBS — 7 Mystery Theater; 7:30 Mr. and Mrs. North; 8 Life with Luiz; 9:30 Capitol Cloakroom.

ABC — 6:30 Armstrong of FBI; 8 Town Meeting "UN and Future Aggression"; 9 On Trial Forum.

MBS — 7 Count of Monte Cristo; 7:30 Detective Drama; 8:30 Mysterious Traveler.

Programs:

NBC — 8 a. m. Jack Baker show 1 p. m. Double or Nothing; 3:30 Lorenzo Jones.

CBS — 12:45 Guiding Light; 2:30 House Party.

ABC — 8 a. m. Breakfast Club; 1 p. m. Welcome to Hollywood; 3 Surprise Package.

MBS — 10:30 a. m. Bob Poole; 12:30 p. m. Harold Turner Organ; 3:30 Chucklewagon.

Folk-dancing highlighted the evening.

Mrs. Ned Duncan Hostess to 47 Bridge Club.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Ned Duncan was hostess to the 47 Bridge club, at her home on East Main Street.

Lovely arrangements of Marigolds and "Mums" were used at vantage points in the room where three tables were arranged for Bridge.

Mrs. R. W. Reynolds received the prize for high score. Mrs. J. R. Gray, the travel prize. Mrs. Jack

Shay, the new system has some advantages as well as disadvantages.

He already has had some discussions with House Speaker Rayburn about what should be done next year, he said, adding that Rayburn's views "are somewhat similar to mine."

The present senate in 1949 adopted a resolution favoring a single appropriation bill but the house never acted.

Chairman Cannon (D-Mo) of the house appropriations committee, however, went ahead with it at this year's session with formal approval.

"We worked like trojans to make it work," McKellar said, referring to his senate committee.

He said the "big trouble" was that the huge bill making appropriations of about \$35,000,000,000, was thrown on the senate near the end of the session.

The appropriations probably would have been considered more carefully in senate debate, he said, if they had been broken up into separate bills which could have been passed by the house and taken up in the senate earlier, as in the past.

But tending to offset that, McKellar said, was that the fact that his senate committee went to work gathering information on the money needs of each department without waiting for action by the house, where all appropriation measures originate.

**Luke Appling May Manage Memphis**

Chicago, Oct. 24 — (P)—Luke Appling, the White Sox record-breaking shortstop, may end a 20-year career as a major league player to become manager of the Sox farm club of Memphis in the southern association.

The job was offered to the aging Appling, who is listed as 41, several weeks ago by Chuck Comiskey, Sox vice president. Comiskey was just a tyke in knee britches when Appling first pulled on a White Sox uniform in 1930. He was twice American league batting champion, in 1936 with a mark of .388 and in 1943 when his .322 was tops.

He has remained with the club ever since, playing 2,218 games at shortstop — an all-time major league endurance record at that position. Last season "Luscious" Luke was listed as a player-coach, being nudged out of his regular shortstop station by 22-year-old Chico Carrasquel.

Appling is expected to meet with Comiskey and General Manager Frank Lane today or tomorrow to tell his decision of the offer to replace Al Todd as Memphis pilot.

Top ten Points

1. So. Methodist (96) (5-0), 2,071

2. Army (.84) (4-0), 1,091

3. Oklahoma (35) (40), 1,974

4. Kentucky (15) (6-0), 1,286

5. California (2) (5-0), 1,223

6. Ohio State (2) (3-1), 1,121

7. Texas (3-1), 782

8. Tennessee (41), 345

9. Northwestern (4-0), 333

10. Cornell (2-1) (4-0), 313

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**'Indian Doctor' Wants Federal Blessing**

El Dorado, Oct. 24 — (P)—South Arkansas' self-styled "Indian doctor" wants the federal trade commission's pure food and drug division to give its blessing to his cure-all herb brew.

The trial of the medicine man, B. Wilson, 50, of Hamburg, on charges of violating the state pure food and drug law, has been postponed indefinitely pending a decision by the federal agency. Deputy Prosecutor Hugh Wharton said Wilson's attorneys are negotiating with the agency for approval and permission to sell his homemade remedy.

**Sports Mirror**

By The Associated Press

Today A Year Ago — The Chicago White Sox released Coach Bing Miller.

Five Years Ago — The Chicago Black Hawks opened the national hockey league season with a 5 to

4 victory over the Boston Bruins.

Ten Years Ago — Harry Krause, former Philadelphia Athletics pitcher, died.

Fifteen Years Ago — Chuck

Dressen was signed to manage the Cincinnati Reds for the 1936 season.

Wildlife conservationists recom-

mend that farmers and foresters leave a few hollow trees for rac-

coons, squirrels and other animals

and birds.

and responsible element in our so-

ciet, singled out for the greatest

burden of supporting the school

system? The mere suggestion that

parents should pay for the teach-

ing of their children as a parental

responsibility is thought to be not

merely novel but vicious. A young

father of two boys, himself "ed-

ucated" in private seminaries and

an ivy league college, had never

even thought of that. Thanks to his

"education," he assumed that it

was his neighbors' duty to pay the

mounting expense of "educating"

his children, wherein we find a

smug assumption that he and his

wife had done the neighbors a favor

in having them. Like almost all

the rest of the nation he and his

wife simply had never considered

the fact that in yielding control and

responsibility to the school system

they were availing themselves of a

very attractive personal conven-

ience largely at the expense of

their neighbors. Anyone who denies

that this is a personal convenience

must be deaf to a familiar excla-

mation of young mothers: "I'll be so glad when junior goes

to school!" or "I can't wait until

school begins again!" Plainly, a</p